HON'BLE SHRI G.S. SINGHVI, THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY

Writ Petition No.2216 of 1997

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Between:

Vanapala Venka Reddy and five others

……Petitioners

And

State Election Commissioner, III[rd] Floor,
Buddha Bhavan, M.G Road, Secunderabad
and five others

……Respondents

:: ORDER ::

Counsel for the Petitioners : None

Counsel for Respondent Nos.2 to 6 : Government Pleader for Panchayat Raj

November 08, 2006

Per G.S. SINGHVI, CJ

This is a petition for quashing notification dated 27-01-1997 issued by State Election Commissioner under Article 243-K of the Constitution of India read with Sections 200 and 201 of the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 and Rule 4(2) of Andhra Pradesh (Conduct of Elections of Members and Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats, Members of Mandal Parishads and Members of Zilla Parishads) Rules, 1994.

Learned Government Pleader says that after filing of the writ petition, two general elections have been held for the gram panchayats in the years 2001 and 2006 and, therefore, the writ petition may be disposed of as infructuous. Ordered accordingly.

As a sequel to disposal of the writ petition as infructuous, WPMP No.2606 of 1997 filed by the petitioners for interim relief is dismissed.

G.S.SINGHVI, CJ

C.V.NAGARJUNA REDDY, J

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